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PART V.

Season Report for the Week ending with the 7th Saturday in 1916 (12th February 1916).

District and Station		Rainfall up to 8 A. M. on Saturday										Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
		This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1916									
						This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (-) of column 4 compared with column 5					
1	2	3		4		5		6		7					
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average	
BANGALORE.	Bangalore C. & M. Station	...	...	...	...	0	35	...	...	...	...	Rice, 2nd sort. Ragi Kulthi Kadale	Seers	Seers	Seers
	" City & Taluk	...	...	...	...	0	28	0	96	- 0	68				
	Hoskote	...	...	...	...	0	34	0	31	+ 0	03				
	Dodballapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	70	- 0	70				
	Nelamangala	...	...	...	...	0	19	0	28	- 0	09				
	Kankanhalli	...	...	...	...	0	53	0	13	+ 0	40				
	Magadi	...	05	...	...	0	35	0	53	- 0	18				
	Channapatna	...	06	...	...	0	39	0	15	+ 0	24				
	Anekal	...	...	...	...	0	27	0	23	+ 0	04				
	Devanhalli	...	...	...	...	0	26	1	07	- 0	81				
Closepet	...	...	...	...	0	39	0	28	+ 0	11					
District average...		0	01	...	...	0	30	0	47	- 0	17				
KOLAR.	Kolar	...	...	0	01	0	15	0	34	- 0	19	Rice, 2nd sort. Ragi Kulthi Kadale	Seers	Seers	Seers
	Bowringpet	...	...	...	...	0	60	0	29	+ 0	31				
	Chintamani	...	...	0	01	0	45	0	34	+ 0	11				
	Mulbagal	...	...	...	...	0	30	0	64	- 0	34				
	Sidlaghatta	...	...	...	...	0	21	0	33	- 0	12				
	Chikballapur	...	...	0	04	0	12	0	37	- 0	25				
	Bagepalli	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	16	- 0	16				
	Goribidnur	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	21	- 0	21				
	Malur	...	...	...	...	0	60	0	27	+ 0	33				
	Srinivasapur	...	...	...	...	0	08	0	40	- 0	32				
Gudibanda	...	...	0	03	0	11	0	21	- 0	10					
District average...		...	...	0	01	0	24	0	33	- 0	09				
TUMKUR.	Tumkur	...	...	...	...	0	10	0	29	- 0	19	Rice, 2nd sort. Ragi Kulthi Kadale	Seers	Seers	Seers
	Maddagiri	...	...	0	02	0	24	0	41	- 0	17				
	Chiknayakanhalli	...	...	...	...	1	81	0	11	+ 1	70				
	Sira	...	...	...	...	0	36	0	27	+ 0	09				
	Gubbi	...	...	...	...	0	42	0	28	+ 0	14				
	Tiptur	...	...	...	...	0	06	0	19	- 0	13				
	Pavagada	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	26	- 0	26				
	Kunigal	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	19	- 0	19				
	Koratagere	...	...	...	...	0	18	0	41	- 0	23				
	Turuvekere	...	...	...	...	1	10	0	31	+ 0	79				
District average ...		...	...	...	...	0	43	0	27	+ 0	16				

District and Station		Rainfall up to 8 A. M. on Saturday										Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains							
		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1916																	
		This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (-) of column 4 compared with column 5									
		I.	C.	I.	C.	I.	C.	I.	C.	I.	C.					I.	C.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18		
MYSORE.	Mysore	...	...	...	...	0	60	0	28	+	0	32	Rice, 2nd sort. Ragi Kulthi Kadale	Seers 7'25 16'00 16'00 9'00	Seers 7'25 16'00 15'25 9'00	Past ten years' fortnightly average Seers 8'09 13'91 14'85 8'48			
	Chamrajnagar	...	...	...	...	0	59	0	50	+	0	09							
	Seringapatam	...	...	...	...	0	28	0	27	+	0	01							
	Hunsur	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	15	-	0	15							
	Yedatore	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	32	-	0	32							
	Heggaddevankote	...	...	...	...	0	48	0	53	-	0	05							
	Gundlupet	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	36	-	0	05							
	Nanjangud	...	...	0	01	0	31	0	36	-	0	05							
	T. Narsipur	...	...	...	...	0	60	0	38	+	0	22							
	Malvalli	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	22	-	0	22							
Mandya	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	43	+	0	04								
Krishnarajpete	...	...	0	03	...	...	0	36	-	0	36								
Nagamangala	...	...	...	...	0	65	0	41	+	0	24								
District average...		...	...	...	...	0	30	0	33	-	0	03							
HASSAN.	Hassan	...	...	...	...	0	06	0	12	-	0	06	Rice, 2nd sort. Ragi Kulthi Kadale	8'50 18'00 16'00 7'50	9'00 16'00 16'00 7'00	8'25 16'25 14'50 7'00			
	Manjarabad (Saklespur)	...	...	...	...	0	90	0	12	+	0	78							
	Arkalgud	...	...	0	03	...	...	0	20	-	0	20							
	Belur	...	...	...	...	0	50	0	25	+	0	25							
	Channarayapatna	...	...	...	...	0	09	0	09	-	0	...							
	Arsikere	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	29	-	0	29							
	Hole-Narsipur	...	...	...	05	...	...	0	13	-	0	13							
	Alur	0	07	0	...	0	24	0	19	+	0	05							
District average...		0	01	0	01	0	22	0	17	+	0	05							
SHIMOGA.	Shimoga	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	45	-	0	45	Rice, 2nd sort. Ragi Kulthi	7'00 18'00 14'00	7'00 18'00 14'00	8'47 16'35 12'50			
	Channagiri	...	...	0	01	...	...	0	33	-	0	33							
	Honnali	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	11	-	0	11							
	Shikarpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	02	-	0	02							
	Sorab	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	05	-	0	05							
	Sagar	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	09	-	0	09							
	Nagar (Kallurkatte)	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	04	-	0	04							
	Tirthahalli	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	08	-	0	08							
Kumsi	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	05	-	0	05								
District average...		...	...	...	...	...	...	0	13	-	0	13							
KADUR.	Chikmagalur	...	...	...	...	1	25	0	36	+	0	89	Rice, 2nd sort. Ragi Kulthi Kadale	7 to 9'00 17'00 14'00 7'00	7 to 10'00 15 to 18'00 12'00 7'00	9'00 16'00 8'00 7'00			
	Kadur	...	...	...	...	0	57	0	15	+	0	42							
	Tarikere	...	...	...	...	1	06	0	29	+	0	77							
	Koppa	...	...	...	...	1	09	0	47	+	0	62							
	Mudgere	...	...	...	...	1	02	0	16	+	0	86							
	Narasimharajapura	...	...	...	...	1	16	0	15	+	1	01							
	Sringeri	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	12	-	0	12							
District average...		...	...	...	...	0	88	0	24	+	0	64							
CHITALDRUG.	Chitaldrug	...	...	...	...	0	29	0	27	+	0	02	Rice, 2nd sort. Ragi Kulthi Cholum Kadale	8'00 21'00 16'00 20'00 7'00	7'00 20'00 16'00 20'00 8'00	8'00 20'00 16'00 19'00 8'00			
	Challakere	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	25	-	0	25							
	Hiriyur	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	16	-	0	16							
	Holalkere	...	...	...	...	0	19	0	31	-	0	12							
	Davangere	...	...	...	...	0	13	0	05	+	0	08							
	Molakalmuru	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	33	-	0	33							
	Jagalur	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	14	-	0	14							
	Hosdurga	...	...	...	...	0	85	0	14	+	0	71							
District average...		...	...	...	...	0	30	0	22	+	0	08							
Provincial average...		...	...	...	...	0	34	0	28	+	0	06							

NOTE.—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa.
Ragi—Eleusine Corocana.

Kulthi—(Horse gram) Dolichos Biflorus.
Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare.

Kadale—(Bengal gram) Cicer Arietinum.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.
9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.
10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.
11. Public health.
12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage, of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.

Current.

Prices of food grains—Boiled rice (2nd sort)	7.24	7.19	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi	14.12	15.47	
Rangoon rice (2nd sort)	...	7.19	

Agricultural operations.—Manure is being collected. Floor is being prepared for the thrashing of grains.

Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Paddy is being harvested in parts of Channapatna, Nelamangala and Magadi Taluks. Ragi is being harvested in parts of Doddballapur, Channapatna, Nelamangala and Magadi Taluks. Sugar-cane is being harvested in parts of Bangalore, Nelamangala, Kankanhalli, Magadi, Channapatna Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks. Horse gram is being harvested in parts of Nelamangala, Magadi and Channapatna Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk. Togari and avare are being harvested in parts of Channapatna and Magadi Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk. Paddy fields are being ploughed for sowing Vaisakhi paddy.

State of standing crops.—Sugar-cane, Vaisakhi paddy, Bengal gram, potato, green gram and coriander are in a fair condition.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Paddy, 8 to 12 annas; sugar-cane 8 to 12 annas; ragi, 4 to 12 annas; horse gram, 4 to 12 annas; avare—

10. The prospects of the season are fair. Food stocks are available. Labour is available to cooly classes.

11. Except for plague in parts of Bangalore, Doddballapur, Nelamangala, Kankanhalli and Devanhalli Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk and small-pox in certain parts of Magadi Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy in parts of Bowringpet, Mulbagal, Bagepalli, Malur and Srinivasapur Taluks and sugar-cane in the parts of Chikballapur and Srinivasapur Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Kolar Taluk—sugar-cane, 16 annas; horse gram, 16 annas; avare, 8 annas. Bowringpet Taluk—horse gram, 4 to 6 annas; avare and togari, 8 annas; gingelly, 2 annas. Chintamani Taluk—avare, 8 to 12 annas. Mulbagal Taluk—horse gram, 4 annas; sugar-cane, 12 annas. Sidlaghatta Taluk—sugar-cane, horse gram, avare, togari, 8 to 12 annas. Chikballapur Taluk—sugar-cane, 16 annas; horse gram, avare and togari, 12 annas. Goribidnur Taluk—sugar-cane, 8 to 10 annas. Malur Taluk—horse gram, 8 to 12 annas; sugar-cane, 16 annas; avare, 16 annas; togari, 8 to 12 annas. Srinivasapur Taluk—sugar-cane, 16 annas; horse gram, 8 annas. Gudibanda Sub-Taluk—sugar-cane, 16 annas. Bagepalli Taluk—sugar-cane, 8 annas; avare and horse gram, 12 annas.

Standing crops.—Paddy and sugar-cane are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Prices of food stuffs continue high. Labour is available to cooly classes.

11. But for plague in parts of Sidlaghatta and Bowringpet Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Pasture, fodder and water are available.